8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable out-turn of harvests, serious damages done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of the season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

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8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—All standing crops such as sugar-cane, paddy, ragi, avare, togari and groundnut are reported to be reviving on account of recent rains.

Crops Harvested.—Potato is being harvested in Devanhalli Taluk.

Crops Sown.—Horse-gram is being sown in parts of Bangalore, Hoskote, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Magadi and Closepet Taluks; and Bilijola in parts of Bangalore and Kankanhalli Taluks.

10. Good.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

State Forests and Plantations have been thrown open for free grazing on account of scarcity of fodder.

It is reported by the Amildar of Kankanhalli Taluk that Takavi loans to the extent of Rs. 975 have been granted for the purchase of fodder and relief works started to the extent of Rs. 1,500.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

Standing Crops.—Standing crops, *viz.*, ragi, avare, groundnuts are reported to be reviving slowly on account of the recent rains.

Crops Sown.—Horse-gram is being sown in Kolar, Bowringpet and Mulbagal Taluks; and jola in Bowringpet and Malur Taluks.

Crops Harvested.—Onions and groundnuts are being harvested in some parts of Chikballapur Taluk; and sugar-cane in parts of Bagepalli Taluk.

10. Fair; but more rains are required. Prices of food grains are slightly decreasing.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy throughout the District.

Pasture, fodder and water are available in all the Taluks except in some parts of Goribidnur and Bagepalli Taluks.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Seeds Sown.*—Horse-gram and jola in parts of Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli, Sira and Kortagere Taluks.

Standing Crops.—Ragi, avare, thogari, horse-gram, sugar-cane, paddy, groundnut, jola, navane and save are reported to be in good condition owing to recent rains.

Crops Harvested.—Nati-ragi in parts of Pavagada Taluk; paddy and sugar-cane in parts of Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

10. The situation is improved on account of the recent rains. There has been good rainfall in all parts of the District except Pavagada Taluk.

11. Water and fodder are available in all parts of the District except Pavagada Taluk where fodder is reportod to be scarce. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for the prevalence of black-quarter in parts of Chiknayakanhalli, Tiptur and Kortagere Taluks. The Veterinary Inspectors concerned are reported to have been addressed in the matter.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Standing Crops.*—Paddy, ragi, horse-gram, thogari, sugar-cane, til, green-gram, black-gram, avare, thadagani, tobacco and castor are reported to be comparatively in a better condition than in last week.

Seeds Sown.—Paddy in Chamarajnagar Taluk; Horse-gram in Seringapatam, Nanjangud, Krishnarajpet and Hunsur Taluks; Bengal-gram in Nanjangud Taluk; Ragi in Krishnarajpet Taluk; Green-gram in Nanjangud and Hunsur Taluks. Lands are being prepared for sowing three months paddy in the Malvalli Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available in sufficient quantity. Rain is still needed in Heggaddevankote Taluk.

11. Water and fodder are available. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for prevalence of Naradi roga in Hosur, Sindnapura, Kengalli, Kelasoor and Thoravalli Villages of Gundlupet Taluk. The Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department has been written to in the matter. The situation has improved considerably on account of recent rainfall all over the district.

HASSAN.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Crops Sown.*—Kulthi is being sown in the Hassan Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Paddy in the Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Belur, Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks, and in the Alur Sub-Taluk, Ragi in the Hassan, Channarayapatna, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks; thogari, in the Hassan and Arkalgud Taluks; chillies in the Hassan Taluk; avare in the Hassan, Arkalgud, and Arsikere Taluks; Sugar-cane in the Hassan and Channarayapatna Taluks; kulthi in the Arkalgud and Arsikere Taluks; cotton in the Belur and Arsikere Taluks; wheat in the Belur Taluk; jolam and groundnut in the Arsikere Taluk are reported to be generally in good condition.

Crops Harvested.—Ragi is being reaped in the Alur Sub-Taluk; Sugar-cane; is being harvested in the Belur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be generally good.
There were good showers in all the Taluks and the standing crops were benefited thereby.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. The taking of cattle to the Malnad parts for grazing is reported to have been ceased in parts of the Channarayapatna Taluk, as there is expectation for good grass, as the result of rains. Some tanks in parts of the Channarayapatna Taluk have received good supply and discharged.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil. Lands are being made ready for sowing wheat bengal-gram and yanngara jola in Honnali Taluk.

Seeds Sown.—Horse-gram and navane are being sown in the Taluk of Channagiri on the lands left banjar.

Standing Crops.—Sugar-cane in the Taluks of Shimoga, Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar, Nagar, Tirthahalli and Kumsi; ragi in the Taluks of Sorab and Nagar Taluks; paddy in the Taluks of Sorab, Sagar, Nagar, Tirthahalli and Kumsi, are reported to be in a fair condition.

Crops Harvested.—Groundnut in the Taluks of Chennagiri and Honnali; kesari jola in some parts of Channagiri Taluk Ragi in the Taluk of Shikarpur, arecanut in the Taluk of Tirthahalli are being harvested. The paddy crop in the parts of Nagar Hobli which was partly affected by some disease and a particular kind of insects is reported to have been very much improved by the recent showers.

10. Prospects of the season are fair.

There is improvement in the state of standing crops by the recent good showers in the latter part of the week all over the District.

Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy in all the Taluks except for the out-break of "Foot and Mouth disease" in Nagar and Indrodi hamlet of Kadase villages in the Nagar Taluk and Mandigatta village in the Sub-Taluk of Kumsi.

It is reported that Veterinary Authorities have been addressed in the matter.

Fodder and water are available.

KADUR.

8. Markets well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Nil.

Crops Sown.—Jolam, coriander, horse-gram in Kadur Taluk; coriander in Tarikere Taluk.

Standing Crops.—Paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, jola, togari, avare, coffee, groundnut, castor, cotton are reported to be in fairly good condition. The areca crop in Sringeri Sub-Taluk has suffered to some extent on account of Koleroga.

Crops Harvested.—Greengram, areca in Tarikere Taluk; areca in Koppa Taluk; cardamom in Mudgere Taluk; areca in Sringeri Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are generally fair.

There were good showers of rain throughout the District during the week.

Food grains are available and their prices remain as in the previous week.

11. Cattle are generally healthy throughout the District.

It is reported that Foot and Mouth disease prevails in some villages of Ajjampura Hobli of Tarikere Taluk and also in Samse village of Mudgere Taluk.

It is reported that the Veterinary Inspectors concerned are taking necessary action to check the spread of the disease and also to treat the sick animals.

Water and fodder for cattle are available in all the Taluks and Sub-Taluks in the District.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets are reported to be well supplied.

9. *Agricultural Operations.*—Transplanting of paddy crop is reported to be going on in the channel area of Hiriyur Taluk and sowing of bule jola in Jagalur Taluk and bili jola, horsegram and navane in Hosdurga Taluk.

State of Standing Crops.—Standing crops are reported to be fair on account of recent rains all over the District.

Crops Harvested.—Mungari jola in Hosdurga Taluk; groundnut in Jagalur; jola, til and groundnut in Holalkere and jola and groundnut in Chitaldrug Taluk.

Probable out-turn of the harvest.—From 6 to 8 annas in Hosdurga Taluk, 2 to 4 annas in Jagalur Taluk, 8 annas in Holalkere and 8 annas in Chitaldrug Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be fair.

Prices of food grains show a tendency to rise.

Labour is reported to be available in all the Taluks.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the Taluks except in some villages of Hiriyur Taluk where they are suffering from Chappe roga and in some villages of Holalkere Taluk from Foot and Mouth disease. Preventive measures are stated to have been taken by the Veterinary Inspectors.

Water and fodder are available except in parts of Jagalur and Molakalmuru Taluks where the State Forests have been thrown open for free grazing.

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Revenue Commissioner.
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